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Alumni Council Posts Revisions In Constitution

Association to Vote At Annual Meeting

Alumni are asked to read carefully the following proposed amendments to the Alumni Association Constitution and By-Laws that will be presented for voting at the annual meeting on June 4.

CONSTITUTION

Article III Membership

The membership shall consist of two classes (a) Annual (b) Life.

Article V

The Executive Board

There shall be an executive board which shall consist of the officers, 15 members of the Association, the last retiring president and three designated class representatives elected during their senior year.

Article VI Standing Committees

There shall be the following standing committees: (a) Finance, (b) Alumni Day Reunions, (c) Nominating. Other committees may be added by the executive board at any time. The chairman and members of such committees shall be appointed by the president, with the approval of the executive board, to serve for a term of one year.

Article VII Annual Meeting

Section 1. To be added, "For the election of officers, the receiving of annual reports, and any other business that may come regularly before the Association."

Section 2. To be added, "Officers, except the treasurer, shall be limited to a maximum of three terms. Members of the board who have served three years shall not be eligible for re-election until after the expiration of one year."

Section 3. The terms of five of the board members and one class representative shall expire each year, and the vacancies thus caused shall be filled by five newly elected members, and one representative elected by the senior class.

Section 4. Nominations may be made from the floor.

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46 Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees

Forty-six men and women will be candidates for the first baccalaureate degrees in arts and science to be conferred by Lycoming College at Commencement on Monday, June 6.

In addition to these students who comprise Lycoming's first Senior Class, there are 28 students completing two-years terminal courses in music, secretarial science, laboratory technology, and medical secretary work who will also be graduated.

17 Grads Turn In Life Member Dues

Seventeen new life memberships were paid in full to the Lycoming College Alumni Association during March. This brings to 40 the number of persons holding life memberships in the association.

The new life members are: Sarah R. Proctor, '08; Martha Ann Wentzel, '42; Florence M. Hilbisch, '12; Benjamin F. Hilbisch, Ruth P. Carson, '42; Esther H. Heefner, '22; Kathryn Rich Sykes, '04; George W. Sykes, '05; Benjamin F. Allgood, '20; Eugenia Wiggenhorn, '76; Myrtle Gray Herriott, '93; Robert F. Rich, '03; Margaret Fowler Lander, '41; Martha Frownfelter Miller, '29; Lulu McDowell Ponder, '01; George R. Nye, '27, and Margaret Shuster Welker, '31.

Transfer Memberships

Alumni whose life memberships have been transferred from the Williamsport-Dickinson to Lycoming Alumni Association are: Mary Stuart Otto, '82; Alice Cheston Hicks, '84; Bessie Bly Clapp, '88; Jane L. Green, '92; George A. Bowman, '02; Rev. J. Merrill Williams, '04; Janet Forrest Williamson, '07; Phoebe Rhoads Lyon, '08; Genevieve Watkins Stecker, '12; Eva L. Keller, '13; Keith W. Robbins, '18; Martha Virginia Slate, '19; Edith Knight, '19; Ethel Whitely, '19; James W. Sterling, '19; Rev. Milton Rogers, '22; Rev. W. A. Keese, '22; Dorothy Rogers Bernhardt, '22; Dr. Clarence Briscoe, '27; Mary Mosser, '34; Dr. Burton L. Williams, '34; Jean Slack, '37; Mary Rich Snyder, '38; William K. O'dell, '41.

ALUMNI DAY SET FOR JUNE 4; NINE CLASSES PLAN REUNIONS

Alumni Day on Saturday, June 4, is planned as one of the highlights of Lycoming's first four-year Commencement week-end. Arrangements for the class get-togethers and reunion of one-time students and graduates of the former Dickinson Seminary and Junior College will be worked out by key persons among the reunionists and alumni from various geographical centers.

P-R-O-G-R-A-M

SATURDAY, JUNE 4

All Morning—Registration of Alumni in Gym.

9:30 a.m.—Class Day exercises in Clarke Chapel.

12:00 p.m.—Alumni luncheon in Gym. Class Reunion lunches at same time and place.

Group Singing.

2:00 p.m.—Alumni Association business meeting.

3:30 p.m.—President's Reception at home of Dr. John W. Long and Mrs. Long.

6:00 p.m.—Banquet in Clarke dining room.

Entertainment.

8:30 p.m.—Formal Concert by A. Capella Choir in Clarke Chapel.

SUNDAY, JUNE 5

Baccalaureate.

MONDAY, JUNE 6

Commencement in Clarke Chapel.

Although the limelight will naturally fall on the nine classes planning reunions, the College has extended a special invitation to all alumni to visit the campus Saturday through Monday, June 4-6. Mrs. J. E. D. Huffman, president of the Alumni Council, announced that a program has been planned for Saturday that will interest all alumni.

The classes scheduled to hold reunions include: 1904, 1909, 1924, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, and 1944.

An Alumni Luncheon for all classes will be one of the features of the day. Scheduled in the gymnasium at 12:00 noon, it will be served as a box lunch and those attending will be guests of the College. Musical entertainment has been arranged in connection with the meal.

Annual Business Session

The annual business meeting of the Alumni Association will begin at 2:00 p.m., and from 3 to 4 p.m. Dr. Long and Mrs. Long will entertain at a reception at their home. Time of the evening banquet has been set at 6:00 p.m., in the College dining room. The reservations—\$1.50 per person—must be made by May 27, the committee said. Details of the banquet program had not been completed when the Bulletin went to press.

The College announced that sleeping accommodations can be provided in the dormitories for persons wanting this service. The cost is 75 cents a night. Alumni wishing room reservations are requested to notify the College, giving the number in their party, time of arrival and departure, whether quarters are wanted for married couples, or others. Dormitory officials stated that it is impossible to provide hotel service, and alumni will be expected to bring towels and soap.

Alumni registration will be held in the gymnasium all day on Saturday and visitors are invited to use this building as a meeting place.

LYCOMING COLLEGE ALUMNI DAY RESERVATION

will ☐
I will not ☐ attend the Alumni Luncheon in the gymnasium at 12:30 p.m., Saturday, June 4. Please reserve ☐ tickets for the Banquet in the dining room at 6:00 p.m. at \$1.50 each.
need ☐
I do not need ☐ sleeping accommodations for myself and ☐ a.m.
other person. Our party will arrive at ☐ p.m., June 4 and ☐ a.m.
leave at ☐ p.m.

Return reservations and banquet ticket check to

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College Calendar

APRIL

- 18—Easter Recess ends.
- 23—Chi Rho Pi Dinner Dance.
- 24—Bucknell Christian Assoc.
Guests of Lycoming C. A.

- 28—J. Ressler Shultz
Chapel speaker

MAY

- 5—Liu Liang-Mo
Chapel speaker
- 12—Bishop John S. Stamm
Chapel speaker
- 13—Spring Dance
- 14—May Day
Choir in Haydn's "Creation"
- 16—Student Piano Recital
- 20—"Student Life"
All-college musical show.
- 21—2nd performance "Student
Life"

JUNE

- 4—Alumni Day
- 5—Baccalaureate
- 6—Commencement

Yearbook Name Changed

In keeping with the Indian symbol adopted for the college athletic teams last year, the yearbook nameplate will be changed to *The Arrow*, according to John P. Graham, faculty advisor to the publication staff. Until this year the college annual was known as *The Dart*. Mr. Graham said the cover design will remain the same this year but the color scheme will probably change with the class colors.

Inspect Dormitory

More than 120 members of the Lycoming Historical Society were guests of the college in January when Dr. John W. Long, the society's speaker, presented a paper on the history of the school. The members toured Rich Hall, escorted by women students, and at the conclusion of the program tea was served in the dormitory lounge.

COLLEGE DEPENDS ON ALUMNI LOYALTY, DINNER SPEAKER SAYS

The continued prosperity of the College depends to a large extent on the loyalty of the alumni, Dr. Gilbert Malcolm, vice-president of Dickinson College, pointed out to 300 former students and graduates at the first Greater Lycoming Banquet on February 25.

While the alumni assembled in the college dining room for the annual dinner meeting, more than 300 students were served a buffet supper in the gymnasium. This year's well-rounded program brought both groups together for a dance in the gym from 9 to 12 p.m.

Dr. John Robbins Hart and Dr. Malcolm shared the spotlight on the banquet speakers' program. The former, vice-president of the United Nations Research committee, lauded Lycoming's rich heritage and urged that the college become a leader in teaching good personal relations.

Expansion at Lycoming Draws Wide Attention

Interest of several Eastern schools has been attracted to the building and education program at Lycoming. Attention centers on the college's new \$2,500 radio studio and on Rich Hall, recently-built dormitory for women. Requests have been received for information on the set-up and operation of the broadcast room located on the ground floor of Bradley Hall.

Representatives from Keystone Junior College visited the campus to tour Rich Hall and interest in the \$325,000 residence hall has also been displayed by administrators of Goucher College. A member of the Dickinson College board of directors is expected to tour the building.

It's a Small World

College ties turned acquaintance into friendship between Samuel L. Anderson, '87, of Portland Ore., and Jack Bader, '35, when the two met recently in the Wright-Patterson Air Force Base Chapel at Dayton, Ohio.

During a casual conversation as they left the chapel, Bader replied in answer to a question from Anderson, that his home is in Williamsport. From there it took only seconds to divulge the fact that both are alumni of the former Williamsport-Dickinson.

Immediately preceding the banquet key alumni and members of the administration met with Dr. Malcolm to discuss alumni organization and relations. Dr. Malcolm outlined the highpoints of this conference when he appeared on the banquet program.

An invitation to the alumni and friends of the school to attend the first four-year Commencement week-end, June 4-6, was extended by Dr. John W. Long, president. Mrs. J. E. D. Huffman, president of the Alumni Council, was banquet toastmistress. Among the guests present were Amos B. Horlacher, '23, now dean of men at Dickinson College, and George Shuman, Jr., Dickinson College treasurer.

The a capella choir entertained at the alumni banquet and at the student program. Donald J. Felix, dean of men, was in charge of the student affair, assisted by Thomas Dunkelberger, '50.

McIver Honored

The Williamsport Junior Chamber of Commerce has named Walter G. McIver, assistant professor of music and director of the a capella choir, as its first "Young Man of the Year." Mr. McIver was cited at the Junior Chamber of Commerce dinner for his contribution to the cultural life of the community.

Youngest Student 17, Oldest 49 Years

This year's student body ranges in age from 17 to 49 years, with the average age about 21, T. Sherman Stanford, director of admissions, reports. Lycoming's ex-G.I.'s average 24 years, Mr. Stanford said. The youngest veteran enrolled is 19 and the oldest is 49.

Average age of the Lycoming coed is somewhat higher than that of the non-veteran college man. Twenty years is the mean for the women. Non-veterans fall in the 19-year average.

Rev. P. Gordon Gould, '23, has been appointed field secretary for Alaskan work in the division of home missions and church extension of the Methodist Church. Prior to his assignment he was pastor of the Ontario Street Methodist Church in Buffalo, N. Y. He has two sons in college, Ardell, '49, and Edward, '52.

One Moment, Please!

Have you paid your Alumni Dues?

In setting up a strong Lycoming College Alumni Association, your financial support as well as your personal participation in the organization is necessary. Dues are \$1.00 per year and Life Membership are \$25. Membership entitles you to the rights and privileges of the association.

Your check is payable to the Lycoming College Alumni Association.

Outstanding Religious Leaders Appear in Chapel

An outstanding group of speakers has appeared at the weekly chapel services during the first two months of the second semester. The student body heard the Rev. E. Raymond Shaheen, popular young pastor of Messiah's Lutheran Church in South Williamsport; Channing Liem, Korean lecturer; John Wesley McKelvey, Ph.D., of Lansdowne; the Rev. P. Gordon Gould, field secretary in the division of home missions and church extension of the Methodist Church; the Rev. Emory Hartman, Ph.D., of Harrisburg and Dr. Alexander K. Smith, of Philadelphia. Dr. Stuart B. Gibson and Dr. L. E. Wurster, both of Williamsport, presented a chest x-ray program to the student body at both chapel periods on February 24, and the Rev. C. Herbert Picht, college chaplain, was the speaker on March 24.

Faculty Paragraphs

Dr. Eric V. Sandin, head of the English department, has returned home from the Williamsport Hospital where he underwent major surgery. Dr. Sandin is meeting his classes and has resumed his committee work with the college.

James W. Sterling, associate professor of English, represented Lycoming at a conference on the Lock Haven State Teachers College campus to discuss the value of freshman placement examinations. Penn State and Lock Haven were the other schools with delegates present.

Rev. C. Herbert Picht, college chaplain, is instructing a course in Bible study for the John Wesley Club listed as "The Bible Speaks to Our Generation." The course is designed for students studying for a local preacher's license.

NOTES FROM THE ALUMNI

Editor's Note: It will help the editors expand the columns of personals if alumni report engagements, marriages, births, deaths, special recognition and changes in work and addresses.

Engagements

Margaret Faye Packard, Jersey Shore Star Route, to Francis R. Walker, '48, of Jersey Shore.

Joyce Hughson, of Williamsport, to Naval Cadet Robert D. Goodman, '48, of West Reading. Cadet Goodman is stationed at Pensacola, Fla.

Portia Carolyn Hilton, '46, of Pine Bush, N. Y., to Henry J. Luck, of St. Albans, N. Y. Mr. Luck was graduated from the United States Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, N. Y., and is a Marine engineer.

Helen June Marley, '48, to Daniel C. Wolfe, who is attending the College.

Rita Ann Coleman, of Williamsport, to Robert E. Hauke, '48.

Marriages

Elsie M. Smith, of Martinsville, N. J., class of '46, to Arthur C. Wilson in the Sacred Heart Church, South Plainfield, N. J., on July 18. Following a honeymoon through Canada, the couple resides at 254 Bergen Ave., Jersey City, N. J.

Avis Anne Litherland, '41, and John J. Moon, of Englewood, N. J., on Jan. 15. Mr. Moon attended Fordham University and Holy Cross College. The couple reside at 15 W. Seventh Ave., South Williamsport.

James H. Notor, '48, and Kay Hawker, of Williamsport. They live at 1000 Market St., Williamsport.

Phyllis J. Gladewitz, '46, and Max E. Harbach, '47, were married recently in the Market Street Methodist Church, Williamsport. They are residing in Syracuse, N. Y.

Phyllis Rae Mack, '43, and William O. Vanderlin, of Williamsport, on Feb. 13. The couple live in Carlisle where Mr. Vanderlin is attending Dickinson Law School.

Everett W. Rubendall, '37, and Marian L. Wertz, of South Williamsport. They live at 134 W. Second Ave., South Williamsport. Mr. Rubendall is on the announcing staff of WRAK.

William M. Henninger, '47, and Harriet L. Draper, of Buffalo, N. Y., on Feb. 12. The bridegroom's father, the Rev. F. LaMont Henninger, '20, performed the ceremony.

Births

To Rev. and Mrs. Ardell Gould, of Ralston, on Dec. 30, a daughter, Susan Marie. Mrs. Gould is the former Roma Gunder, '46.

Deaths

Henry Howard Whitney, '84

The name of one of the oldest and most distinguished graduates of the College was crossed from the alumni roster with the announcement of the death of Brigadier General Henry Howard Whitney. The general died Saturday, April 2, 1949, in Madison, N. J. He was 82 years old.

General Whitney was graduated from Dickinson Seminary in 1884 and from West Point in 1892. He was one of the heroes of the Spanish-American War. When that war broke out he was a young lieutenant. Selected by President McKinley to land on Spanish-held Caibarien, Cuba, and make contact with the Cuban General Gomez, insurgent leader, he disguised himself as a kerosene salesman to execute the mission. Although the Spanish arrested him three times in two months, he managed to escape each time and by June 15, 1898, he got back to the United States with maps of the island's harbors, fortifications and roads.

He retired before World War II.

George W. Huntley, Jr., '89

George W. Huntley, Jr., a director of the college since 1942, died in Hamor Hospital at Erie, Pa., on Feb. 28, 1949. Death followed an illness of several months. Mr. Huntley would have been 82 years old on March 16.

A native of Cameron County, Mr. Huntley spent his life there, first engaged with his father in the lumber industry and later manufacturing explosives and producing oil. He was also engaged in merchandising and banking.

Mr. Huntley attended Dickinson Seminary in 1889 and here met Margaret Metzger, whom he later married. He established the George W. Huntley Scholarship, awarded annually to the outstanding graduate of the Cameron County schools. During the course of his business career Mr. Huntley served for 10 years in the Pennsylvania House of Representatives as a representative

from Cameron County. In 1935 he wrote and published "The Story of the Sinnemahone," a volume dealing with the white pine lumber days of Cameron County from 1865 to 1895.

Mr. Huntley was buried at Emporium.

Rev. E. J. Symons

The Rev. Edmund J. Symons, of Reading, an alumnus of Dickinson Seminary, died on Sept. 26.

Gold Star Services

Military rites were held recently in Williamsport for two of Lycoming's gold star heroes. First Lt. Kenneth L. Myers, '41, Marine Corps fighter pilot who was killed in the Solomon Islands, May 24, 1944, was buried on March 6. Pfc. Charles E. Corson, '43, a victim of fighting on Okinawa on June 22, 1945, was also returned home for burial. He was a member of the Marine Corps Headquarters Company 7, First Division. Private Corson's sister, Margaret E., is a freshman at the college this year.

Mrs. Emily A. Gibson

Mrs. Emily Almy Gibson, alumna of Dickinson Seminary, died in the Williamsport Hospital on Feb. 27. She was a member of Christ Episcopal Church and of the board of the Williamsport Home. Surviving in addition to her husband, William Gibson, Jr., of Williamsport, are two sons, William Gibson, III, '40, and Edward A. Gibson, '47; a daughter, Mrs. Grady Marler, the former Emily A. Gibson, '43, of Summitville, O., and one sister.

H. Pauline Lloyd, '10

Miss H. Pauline Lloyd, '10, a graduate of the former Dickinson Seminary, died in Williamsport in February. An instructor in the Williamsport School system since 1914, she was a member of the faculty of Stevens Junior High School in Williamsport at the time of her death. Two sisters survive.

Class Notes

Robert R. Owens, '39, of 69 Arthur Ave., S.E., Minneapolis, Minn., is working toward his doctorate in English literature at the University of Minnesota.

Margaret Beatty, '47, is in her first year of training at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Dayton, O. Her address is Box 7, Sherrier Hall, 128 Hopeland St., Dayton 8, O.

George R. Long, '25, recently completed an intensive two-week refresher course in claims work given by the Liberty Mutual Insurance Company at its Boston home office. Mr. Long was one of 23 claimsmen candidates chosen on a nationwide basis to attend the course.

Mary Helen Foehl, '38, is employed in the Bureau of School Administration of the Department of Public Instruction, Harrisburg. Her permanent address is Honey Brook, Pa.

Second Lt. Robert Jones, '47, visited the campus during a two-week leave following his graduation from cadet training at Enid Army Air Force Base in Enid, Okla. Holding a regular commission in the Air Force, Lieut. Jones has reported to the 7th Geodetic Survey, Mountain Home, Ida.

M/Sgt. Foster L. Richards, '36, is stationed at Andrews Field, Md., after studying radar and electronics at March Field, Calif. Sgt. Richards and his wife have a son, Alan Lee. Their address is 1909th A.A.C.S. Sqdn., Andrews Field AFB, Md.

Sgt. Robert J. Davis, Jr., USMC, and Mrs. Davis, the former Jane Anne Lovett, '47, are the parents of a year-old son, Robert J. Davis, 3rd. The couple was married Aug. 9, 1947, in Newark, Del., and reside at 124 Old Oak Road in that city.

Mrs. John L. Allen, the former Dorothy Springman, '42, and her year-old daughter, Patricia Lynn, are in Tokyo, Japan, where Captain Allen is stationed with the Army Medical Detachment.

William H. Tredway, '31, is Sfc. Tredway and is stationed at the Reception and Processing Det. 2101 ASU, Fort George Meade, Md.

Mrs. Marguerite Cole Corson, '29, is owner of the Rio-Tel Tourist Court at Swannonoa, N. C.

Doris Hughes Tobin, '38, 210 Hummel St., Harrisburg. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Tobin have a daughter, Tracey G., who is two and a half years.

Addresses

Joseph A. Surace, '40, 276 W. 86th St. (5RL) New York 24, N. Y.

Bernice Seligman Kapkin, '42, 320-A Second Ave., San Francisco, Calif.

Charles B. Swain, Jr., '35, Box 101, Clayton, Del.

Mary Jean Lewis Hoeft, '42, Exeland, Wis.

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Alumni Council—

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Section 5. All elections shall be by ballot, a majority vote constituting an election.

BY-LAWS

Article I

Duties of Officers

Section 1. It shall be the duty of the president, and in his absence, the vice-president, to preside at all meetings and to perform all other duties appertaining to the office. In case of vacancy the vice-president shall succeed at once to the office of president until the next annual meeting. The president shall appoint all committees with the approval of the board.

Section 2. It shall be the duty of the recording secretary to keep a correct record of all meetings of the Association and executive board.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of the corresponding secretary to issue notices of all meetings of the board and conduct all general correspondence as directed by the board.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of the treasurer to receive and keep

the funds of the Association and deposit same in such bank as directed by the executive board. The treasurer shall collect dues and keep an accurate account of all receipts and disbursements. A detailed report shall be presented at each meeting and a written report shall be given at the annual meeting. The treasurer shall pay out moneys of the Association only upon orders signed by the president and secretary.

Article II

Duties of Executive Board and Executive Committee

Section 1. (f) The officers of the Association together with the last retiring president shall constitute an executive committee which shall act for the executive board between its meetings. (g) The finance committee consisting of three members of the executive board shall prepare a budget for the year and submit it to the board for acceptance. (h) The committee on Alumni Day events and reunions consisting of five members of the executive board shall plan the program of activities for Alumni Day in conjunction with college repre-

sentatives. (j) The nominating committee consisting of five members of the board shall prepare a ballot of 10 nominees selected with regard to college class and place of residence, of which number five shall be elected for a term of three years, and the senior class shall select one representative for a term of three years and report the name of the nominee to the chairman of the nominating committee.

Article III

Dues

Section 1. (a) The payment of \$25 shall constitute a Life Membership. (b) Life Members shall be exempt from annual dues.

Article IV

Meetings

Section 4. (a) Regular meetings of the executive board shall be held in September, February and April of each year, the time and place to be set by the president.

Article V

Parliamentary Rules

Roberts' Rules of Order, Revised, shall be authority in all questions of parliamentary law not covered by the Constitution and By-Laws.

S-P-O-R-T-S-L-I-G-H-T

Johnny Gray, diminutive Lycoming College forward, won an honorable mention berth on the Associated Press 1949 All-Pennsylvania Basketball Team. A junior, Gray stands only 5 feet eight inches, but the wiry cager scored 260 points for the Warriors, averaging 13.7 points a game. In the tilt with Susquehanna, Gray outpointed Evan Zlock, and by topping Elizabethtown's Frankie Keath, all-Pennsylvania forward, in the final contest of the season, Gray can boast of out-shooting two of the finest cagers in the land.

While Lycoming won only two of its scheduled matches, the team met some topnotch competition on the hardwood. Four of the Warrior opponents placed men on the Associated Press Basketball Team. They were Keath, of Elizabethtown; Zlock, of Susquehanna; Ulsh, of Juniata and McLaughlin, of Kings.

1949 GREATER LYCOMING BANQUET



